

**Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania****Trend of Fatalities, 2000-2004**

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
<b>Fatality Counts</b>	<b>Total Fatalities</b>	47	52	50	46	39
	<b>Alcohol-Related</b>	20	22	23	23	21
	<b>Single Vehicle</b>	34	29	36	22	23
	<b>Non-Junction</b>	37	39	39	32	29
	<b>Intersection</b>	6	7	10	8	8
	<b>Intersection-Related</b>	0	1	0	0	0
	<b>Speeding Involved</b>	14	18	30	18	18
	<b>Pedestrians</b>	6	3	6	1	6
	<b>Pedalcyclists</b>	1	0	2	1	0
	<b>Large Truck Involved</b>	4	11	1	7	5
	<b>Roadway Departure</b>	31	29	35	30	28
	<b>Passenger Car Occupants</b>	26	28	29	24	18
	<b>Light Truck/Van Occupants</b>	8	17	10	14	9
	<b>Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)</b>	1	3	1	3	4
	<b>Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)</b>	35	48	40	41	31
	<b>Motorcycle Riders</b>	5	1	2	3	2

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

**Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+)  
By Restraint Use, 2004**

<b>Fatalities</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Restrained</b>	<b>Unrestrained</b>	<b>Unknown</b>
<b>2004</b>	27	12	13	2

**Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+)  
By Helmet Use, 2004**

<b>Fatalities</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Helmeted</b>	<b>Unhelmeted</b>	<b>Unknown</b>
<b>2004</b>	2	0	2	0

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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2004

	2004			
	Fatalities	Rank Within State	Fatality Rate	Rank Within State
<b>Total Fatalities</b>	39	11	12.46	47
<b>Alcohol-Related</b>	21	6	6.71	27
<b>Single Vehicle</b>	23	9	7.35	34
<b>Non-Junction</b>	29	12	9.26	46
<b>Intersection</b>	8	16	2.56	32
<b>Intersection-Related</b>	0	0	0	0
<b>Speeding Involved</b>	18	10	5.75	42
<b>Pedestrians</b>	6	6	1.92	11
<b>Pedalcyclists</b>	0	0	0	0
<b>Large Truck Involved</b>	5	12	1.60	32
<b>Roadway Departure</b>	28	14	8.94	48
<b>Passenger Car Occupants</b>	18	14	5.75	47
<b>Light Truck/Van Occupants</b>	9	16	2.87	37
<b>Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)</b>	4	1	1.28	19
<b>Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)</b>	31	12	9.90	50
<b>Motorcycle Riders</b>	2	30	0.64	44

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.